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I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled, SCALABLE LAYERED CODING IN A MULTI-LAYER, COMPOUND IMAGE DATA TRANSMISSION SYSTEM, the specification of which:

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.				
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insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the

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